## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:		) Examiner: Albert Hilton ) ) Group Art Unit: 4171 )
Takeo Yajima		
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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MADE UNDER 35 USC § 132 AND 37 CFR § 1.111

Dear S I R:

In response to the Office Action dated September 28, 2009 and having a shortened statutory period for response extending until December 28, 2009, Applicant respectfully submits the following:

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**, beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**, beginning on page 3 of this paper. **AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS**, beginning on page 6 of this paper.

**REMARKS**, beginning on page 7 of this paper.